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Subject: Additional Interim Revision to the Scoping and Planning Documents
West Chicago Rare Earths Facility, West Chicago, Illinois
Grant Correspondence Number 5028.02

Dear Ms. Frey:

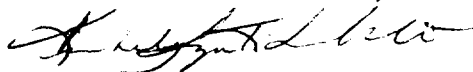
Grant Environmental, Inc. (Grant) is assisting Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation (Kerr-McGee) in revising the Scoping and Planning Documents associated with the Removal Action at the West Chicago Residential Areas Site. Grant submitted proposed revisions to the Scoping and Planning Documents to you on April 8, 1996.

During the May monthly status meeting, Mr. Dan White of Kerr-McGee discussed an additional interim revision to the Scoping and Planning Documents. This additional interim revision is to be included in with the previously submitted proposed revisions. Enclosed are two (2) copies of the additional interim revision.


After United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) reviews and approves the previously submitted revisions and this additional interim revision, Kerr-McGee will revise the Scoping and Planning Documents and submit the new version of the document to U.S. EPA.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to call the undersigned at 303-790-7400 or Mr. Dan White of Kerr-McGee at 405-270-3792.

Sincerely,
GRANT ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.



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INTERIM CHANGE FORM

Change No. 17

Document No. 301
Section No. 2420, 2200
Page No. Various
Revision No. 2, 1

Requirement:

See Attachment #1

Change:

See Attachment #1

Effective Date: 5/2/96

Approval:



OFFSITE PROJECT MANAGER

5/2/96

DATE

Requirement: RAR Scoping and Planning Document- Doc.#301, Section# 2200, rev.1

Contaminated Material Loadout and Earthwork

1.7.C.3 "The above information shall be submitted with the final work orders for a property."

Change: "The above.....submitted *for each source, prior to use.*"

1.10.D.4.c The last sentence reads; "Test samples will be provided at least one week before backfilling begins."

Change: Delete the words "*at least one week*".

1.10.D.5 "Compaction Testing shall be done on at least 50-foot centers or at least once per lift."

Change: Should read; "Compaction testing shall be done (*ref. para.3.7.C*) as follows:-

≤ 5 cubic yards = 1 test minimum/ property

> 5 cubic yards = 6 test minimum/ property

3.1.C.3 The last sentence reads; "A description of the requirements shall be provided....."

Change: Should read; " A description of the requirement *maybe be requested to be provided....*"

3.6.B.5 "Truck drivers will be in the same level of protection as other workers while inside the Exclusion Zone or Contamination Reduction Zone,....."

Change: Delete the words "*Exclusion Zone or*"

3.7.C.1 "The Contractor shall not commence backfilling until.....and the Respondent.....has provided the Contractor with written authorization to begining backfilling."

Change: Replace the word "written" with the word "*verbal*".

3.7.C.5 "Fill material to be compacted shall be placed by the Contractor in thin, even, continuous layers. Each layer shall be spread....."

Change: Replace the word "thin" with the words "*one foot*". Also, delete 3.7.C.5.a. & b. entirely.

Requirement: RAR Scoping and Planning Document- Doc.#301, Section# 2420, rev.2

Landscaping

1.5.B.1 "The Contractor shall submit test results.....on a property at least 10 days prior to....."

Change: Delete the words "*at least 10 days*".

1.5.B.3 " Submit analyses.....for each material."

Change: " Submit analyses.....for each material, *prior to use.*"

1.5.B.4 Delete in its entirety.

2.1. "Topsoil Materials"

Change: Replace the entire section with the following; "*Topsoil material shall conform to the state specification IDOT 781.05. These materials shall also be tested for radioactivity and found to be within background ranges (e.g. 3.7 pCi/g), as established by U.S. EPA in Tech. Memo dated 3/15/95, averaged over 6 inches.*"

3.1.C, 3.1.D and 3.2.G shall be deleted in their entirety.